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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I'm a consumer who supports broadband competition.

I am tired of being price gouged by comcast. They're the only high speed Internet available in my area. They take advantage of this fact by providing subpar service at the extremely high prices. The price is much higher than the actual value of the service it self. They frequently increase the rates, every couple of months.. The bill goes up without any prior warning, and I'm not taking about the tax that fluctuates each month.. Even in contract they can up the price, but if the consumer cancels before the contract is up they're charged even more. What is the purpose of a one sided contract that can be altered at their discretion any time? How does this protect the consumer? It doesn't. It covers only their own ends.

Why would a government agency whose meant to regulate Internet access allow Comcast to continue with this unjust monopoly? Someone is getting favors somewhere and it's definitely NOT the American consumer. FCC, take a note from Europe where the Internet service is of high quality AND affordable to all.

Companies grow and 98% of them become greedy, no matter how honest they are to start, then they rip off their consumers, just like comcast does.

In this case, perhaps America should have a municipal Internet access model, so that nobody makes money from it anymore.

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